



# MEDIA ADVISORY

---

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Aug. 26, 2009

## **MEDIA CONTACTS**

Paula Freund  
Public Information Officer  
Indy Parks & Recreation  
E-mail: [pfreund@indy.gov](mailto:pfreund@indy.gov)  
Office: (317) 327-7035  
Cell: (317) 442-7578

Jenny Evans  
Marketing Coordinator  
Indy Parks & Recreation  
Email: [jrevans@indy.gov](mailto:jrevans@indy.gov)  
Office: (317) 327-7030  
Cell: (317) 750-3724

## **GET DOWN AND ‘BUGGIE’ AT THE 17<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SOUTHEASTWAY PARK BUG FEST**

INDIANAPOLIS – (Aug. 26, 2009) Enter the cricket-spitting contest, nibble on bug cuisine at the Bug Café, and mosey among monarch butterflies in the butterfly tent at Southeastway Park’s 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Bug Fest this Sunday!

Celebrate the importance of bugs from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 30, at Southeastway Park, 5624 S. Carroll Road, New Palestine. Visitors can try their hand at catching insects in Southeastway Park’s field and pond, create insect art at the craft station, and even chat with a real beekeeper.

Professionals from a variety of insect-related fields will spend their afternoon entertaining and educating park-goers about the benefits and habitats of bugs. Bug-lovers of all ages are invited to this fun, free special event. All participants will have the chance to earn the prestigious “Doctor of Bug-ology” degree by visiting at least eight of the 20 bug stations.

**WHAT:** 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Southeastway Park Bug Fest

**WHEN:** 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 30, 2009

**COST:** Free

**WHERE:** Southeastway Park, 5624 S. Carroll Road, New Palestine, IN

**WHO:** Bug Man Bill, with his insects from all over the world; insect experts; and the Indy Parks Waters Education Trailer and staff

Bike Indy. Swim Indy. Run Indy.  
**PLAY INDY!**

-- 30 --



Indy Parks and Recreation • Public Information Office • 200 East Washington Street • Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

[317] 327-7035 • [317] 327-7097 fax • [www.indyparks.org](http://www.indyparks.org)